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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Wilbraham Seeks Volunteers for Local Town Committees and Boards

WILBRAHAM – The Board of Selectmen are seeking volunteers who are willing to offer their time, talents and desire to various local Town boards and committees that have vacancies. Some of these boards and positions are critical to the Town's mission and operation.

Selectmen welcome letters of interest from residents willing to serve on the, or as:

- Advisory Board of Health
- Ambulance Oversight Committee
- Broadband Advisory Committee
- Bylaw Review Committee
- Cable TV Advisory Committee
- Capital Planning Committee
- Commission on Disability
- Fair Housing Committee
- Finance Committee
- Historical Commission
- Personnel Board
- **Public Access TV Committee**
- Local Emergency Planning Cmte.

- Sewer Advisory Board
- Solid Waste Advisory Committee
- Wilbraham Cultural Council
- Advisor to the Board of Health
- Fence Viewer
- Hazardous Waste Coordinator
- Deputy of Sealer of Weights and Measures
- Weigher of Grain
- Surveyor of Lumber
- PVPC Alternate Commissioner
- **Planning Board Associate Member**

All positions remain open until filled.

Interested citizens should contact the Office of Selectmen by July 1, 2014 at (413) 596-2800, Ext. 101. Volunteers typically meet with Selectmen for a brief interview in order to match candidates with the boards'/committees' needs and mission.

"Community volunteers are critical to the function of local government. We are very fortunate in Wilbraham to have many talented residents who are willing to give their personal time and effort to serve their community in one of the most honorable ways," said Robert W. Russell, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen.

Russell also added that "We are seeking enthusiastic people who can contribute to policy development and public service delivery in the specialized area of responsibility for each board or position that is in need of membership. If you have an interest to take part in your Town's government, I encourage you to do so by letting us know."

Visit the official Town website www.wilbraham-ma.gov to read about the activities of Town boards and committees. Interested residents can download a citizen participation reply form by going to the "How Do I" tab and clicking on "Volunteer" link on the Town's website. The website offers insightful information about the work of Town boards and committees. Citizens can also get more details from the Annual Town Report which is also available on the website or at the Town Office Building. Interested citizens looking for a rewarding experience can direct their letters of interest to Wilbraham Board of Selectmen, 240 Springfield Street, Wilbraham, MA 01095 or via e-mail to selectmen@wilbraham-ma.gov. Volunteers should be Town residents and registered voters.